

證 明 書

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外 務 省

千九百四十七年ノ昭和二十二年ノ四月一日

東京ニ於テ署名

當該官吏署名

右ノ者ノ公的資格

證

人

佐 藤 武 五 郎 印

又 書 保 蔵 員

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1519.

公式入手ニ關スル證明

余、Richard H. Larsh、リチャード・エツチ・ラーシュハ、余ガ聯合國最高指揮官總司令部ニ關與スルモノナルコト、並ニ上記題名ノ文書ハ余ガ公許上、日本政府ノ上記署名官吏ヨリ入手シタルモノナルコトヲ茲ニ證明ス。

千九百四十七年ノ昭和二十二年ノ四月二日

東京ニ於テ署名

氏 名 偏

石ノ者ノ公的資格

證 人

Richard H. Larsh
リチャード・エツチ・ラーシュ
國際情報部調査官 署名

Eleanor A. Barc
エリノア・ハーバーク 署名

Marginal Remarks: /This should be first known to the Army and be consulted with it. (Signed)

(TOP SECRET)

(Copy of Telegram)

1939 20055 (Code)

Sent from Shanghai in the afternoon, June 1st.

Received by the home office in the night, June 1st.

/Addressee:/ Foreign Minister ARITA

/Addresser:/ Consul-General MIURA

No. 1806 (Top Urgent; Top Secret)

(in the Code of the Office Chief)

To Section Chief TSUCHIDA from MATSU (T.N. written in ink 'TAJIRI')

1. When I had an interview with MIURA. (T.N. written in ink 'KAGEBA') on the 30th accompanied by KOMUR. (T.N. written in ink 'YANO'), Mr. TAKEUCHI (T.N. written in ink 'WANG') said that a public notice (T.N. written in ink 'statement') on the basis of the following gist was to be made on the occasion of the publication of the newspaper Chung Hua Ji Pao /'China Daily News'/ after KIKUKO's (T.N. written in ink 'Chow Fu-hai') arrival in Osaka (T.N. written in ink 'Shanghai') about the 5th of July.

(1) Since FUJIWARA's (T.N. written in ink 'KONOE') statement was made, the relations between the UENO and SHIMONO families (T.N. written in ink 'Japan and China') have entered a new phase, so I /i.e. Wang/ have often made proposals to MATSUKO (T.N. written in ink 'Chiang Kai-shek') and demanded her reconsideration; but MATSUKO (T.N. written in ink 'Chiang') would not give heed to them at all. The time has now come to solve the matter, even if we have to run a risk of breaking off the relations with her against our will.

(2) From now on, I /i.e. Wang/ will abolish autocracy by one party. Taking the leadership of factory owners (T.N. written in ink 'Kuomintang'), I will make every effort to save the country by peace in concert with all parties.

(3) The efforts made by the Provisional and Restoration Governments to maintain public order and for other things should be greatly appreciated. I will do my work in co-operation with them.

(4) Although MATSUO (T.N. written in ink 'Chiang') insists that the evacuation of the UENO family (T.N. written in ink 'Japan') be carried out before shipment (T.N. written in ink 'peace'), will it be possible for the UENO family (T.N. written in ink 'Japan') to carry it out under the present war conditions?

2. I think it necessary to weave some of our views into the above-mentioned public notice (T.N. written in ink 'statement'), because the notice, as Mr. TAMEUCHI's (T.N. written in ink 'Wang') first voice after his return from Japan, will create a great sensation among the members of the SHIMONO family (written in ink 'the Chinese side'), and because at the same time it is expected to form the basis of the fundamental principles of the new central curios (T.N. written in ink 'the establishment of a regime') in future. In this connection I wish you will wire me soon if you have anything that you wish me to attend to.

3. In view of the significant influences and reaction of the public notice (T.N. written in ink 'statement') on the inside and outside of the SHIMONO family (T.N. written in ink 'China'), and when we consider it together that the notice is to be an important political inspection (T.N. written in ink 'measures to be taken') in the area of our military occupation that at the

same time it will involve the potential currents of the UENO family's home administration (T.N. underscored and a question mark in ink is put), and that it should be set forth in concert with our fixed national policy, which was decided in Tokyo some time ago, I think it necessary that the UENO family (T.N. written in ink 'Japan') should publish a public notice (T.N. written in ink 'statement') in concert with the above to the effect that it will give the greatest aid to TAKEUCHI's inspection (T.N. written in ink 'Wang's measures to be taken') in order to let the UENO family's (T.N. written in ink 'Japan') final resolution known at home and abroad, and thus give an impetus to the development of this inspection (T.N. 'measures'). The above-mentioned has been fully discussed with KAMAZURA (T.N. written in ink 'KAGESA.'). I wish you will kindly inform KAMAZURA (T.N. written in ink 'SUZUKI') of this. (The end).

極秘

昭和14

二〇〇五五 (唐)

上海 六月一日發獲

本省 一日夜着

有田外務大臣

三浦總領事

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第一八〇六號 (大至急、極秘) (館長符號扱)

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問題ヲ解決スヘキ時機ニ到達セリ

(二) 今後余ハ一黨專横ヲ廢シ (工場主) 各

黨各派ト聯合シ和平救國ニ精進セントス

(三) 臨時新兩政府ノ治安維持其ノ他ノ政務ノ努

力ハ正ニ賞賛ニ値スヘキモノニシテ余ハ是等

ト極力シテ事ニ當ラントス

(四) (松子) ハ (上野家) ノ撤兵ヲ (和平) 出

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家) ニ於テ之ヲ爲シ得ルト思フヤ

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 第一トシテ（下野家ノ者共）ニ與シ重大ナル
 反響ヲ與フルト共ニ將來新ラシキ中央（日本）^{（日本）}立
 ノ新理想念トモナルヘキモノナレハ（上野家）
 トシテモ右（公啓）ニ益込ム必要アルヘキニ付
 注意スヘキ項モアラハ至急同電アリタシ
 馬 右様本（公啓）ノ（下野家）内外ニ與フル影響
 及反響重大ナルニミ又我占據地域内ニ於ケル
 重要ナル政治（觀察）^{（觀察）}ニシテ然モ上野家内政上
 ノ諸暗流ヲ包含シ過渡東京ニ於テ樹立サレタル
 穩固不動ノ我國策ト相呼應シ推進スヘキコトヲ
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C E R T I F I C A T E

W.D.C. No. _____

I.P.S. No. 1519-1 1519-1

Statement of Source and Authenticity

I, Takegoro Sato _____, hereby certify
that I am officially connected with the Japanese Government in the
following capacity: Staff of Archives Section, Japanese _____
Foreign Office _____
and that as such official I have custody of the document hereto
attached consisting of 60 pages, dated June-July, 1939, and
described as follows: Extracts from File entitled Wang Ching-wei
I further certify that the attached record and document is an
official document of the Japanese Government, and that it is part
of the official archives and files of the following named ministry
or department (specifying also the file number or citation, if any,
or any other official designation of the regular location of the
document in the archives or files): Foreign Ministry _____

Signed at Tokyo on this

2nd day of April, 1947.

/s/ Takegoro Sato
Signature of Official

Witness: /s/ M. Emura

Staff, Archives, Section
Official Capacity

SEAL

/s/

Statement of Official Procurement

I, Richard H. Larsh _____, hereby certify
that I am associated with the General Headquarters of the Supreme
Commander for the Allied Powers, and that the above certification
was obtained by me from the above signed official of the Japanese
Government in the conduct of my official business.

Signed at Tokyo on this

2nd day of April, 1947

/s/ Richard H. Larsh

Witness: /s/ Eleanor A. Barc

Investigator, IPS
Official Capacity

Head of Telegraph Section
(sealed)

Person in charge of Sending:
(sealed)

Supervisor: Head of the Bureau
of East Asia
(sealed)

Chief Official: Chief of the 1st Section of
the Bureau of East Asia;
Chief of the 2nd Section of
Bureau of East Asia
(signed)

Drawn up: June 13, 1939.

Transmission No. 14476

Sent: 10.30 p.m., June 13, 1939.

To:

From:

Consul-General MIURA, Shanghai.

Foreign Minister ARITA.

Name of Case:

Recording Name of Case:

Re T. ICHIKAWA (T.N. Wang) Movements.

Cipher: No. 895

(TOP SECRET)

To Councillor MORISHIMA from SHIMIZU. Isamu GOTO, Michio KIMURA, and Masaru HARA--these three persons are scheduled to start from here for your place on the 16th.

They are expected to engage continuously in thought movements by request of Lieutenant-General DOHIOHARA, whom you know of; and as Colonel ILLI conceives an ardent desire to give them assistance as before, after deliberation with Colonel KAGEYAMA it was decided to make the KAGEYAMA Organ and the Embassy help them with movement expenses; and such being the case, I hope you will give them ¥3,000 defraying it from your political movement expenses.

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電信局長 印 發電係

電信局長 印 發電係 昭和十四年六月十三日 起章	主 東亞局長 主 東亞局第一課長 東亞局第二課長	昭和十四年六月十三日 起章
電信局長 144476 局 昭和十四年6月15日午後10時50分	宛 在上海 三浦總領事	發 有田大臣
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附	第八九五號	(類 秘)

森島参事官へ清水ヨリ

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 ヨリ依頼ノ恩恵工作ニ當ル旨ニテ從來通り援助アリ
 度キ旨今井大佐ヨリ無心ナル希望アリ影佐大佐トモ
 協議ノ上影佐大佐及大佐信ヨリ工作費ヲ補助スルコ
 トニ決定セルニ付テハ同人等到着ノ際ハ政治工作費
 中ヨリ金三千圓御支出ノ上同人等ニ手交セラレ度シ

發電昭和十四年六月十三日

竹内工作一件

在上海

有田外務大臣

三浦總領事

暗第八九五號 (極秘)

森島参事官へ清水ヨリ

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昭和 14 一七四八〇 (暗)

上海 六月十日發

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三浦總領事

日中往來(三)

第一五九四號

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汪精衛速捕令發表以來各方面共汪ノ動靜ニ異常ノ關心ヲ集メ居レルカ九日重慶發「ユーピー」電ハ同地官邊カQ Aノ消息トシテ汪ハ五月三十一日上海發一日東京ニ到着シタルカ之ヨリ幾渡日セルハ局偽海ナルコト判明セル旨報シ居レル處十日申報ハ汪隨行者ハ陳璧君、ナンシユンソ及高宗武ニシテ汪ト日本側トノ提携斡旋者ハ主トシテ土肥原、原野、影佐、陳群及陳中孚等ナルカ此ノ外獨逸側モ一役買ヒ親獨主義者タル陳公博等ヲ説得シテ汪ノ渡日ニ對スル反對運動ヲ緩和セシメ一般ノ内部的統制ニ貢獻スル所アリ外間陳ノ汪關係離脱説アルモ右ハ表面ヲ糊塗スル煙幕ナリ汪ハ渡日前臨時、維新兩政府首腦者ト懇談シ中央政府組織案ニ關シ意見ヲ交換シタルカ結局中央政府ノ成立ヲ急キ居ル日本側及汪等ハ吳佩孚ヲ大總統ニ祭り上ケ汪ヲ內閣總理ニ据エントスル計畫ニテ九月一日頃成立ノ模様ナルカ日本側ノ中央政府組織ノ魂膽ハ此ノ種日本側トノ和平交渉機關ヲ利用シ汪等ヲシテ日本側ト賣國的條約ヲ締結セ

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シメ且汪等ヲ利用シテ以夷制夷的陰謀ヲ實現シ支那主權ヲ
統制シテ日本ノ屬國タラシメムルニ在ル旨報シ居レリ
北京、天津、南京、漢口、香港へ轉電セリ

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/Marginal Remarks:/

(Secret)

(Copy of Telegram)

Send two copies to Colonel USUT: (Sent)

Sending: Done

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(Cipher)

Sent from Shanghai: In the afternoon, June 10.

Reached the home office: In the afternoon, /June/ 10.

/Abbreviation of/ Asia; Information

/From/ Consul-General MIUM

/To/ Foreign Minister ARITA

No. 1594.

Since the mandate for arrest of Wang Ching-wei was made public it has been causing various quarters extraordinary concern.

According to a Chungking despatch of the U.P. 9th, the official circles there announced as information about Q1 that Wang started from Shanghai on May 31 and arrived at Tokyo on June 1, and that it was Chou Fou-hsi who had left for Japan before that. The Sheng Pao issued on the 10th, however, reports that the members of Wang's suite were Chen Pi-chun, Chen Chung-fu, and Kao Tsung-wu; that DOHTHARA, HARANO, KIGESA, Chen Chuin, and Chen Chung-fu acted as mediators for coalition between Wang and Japan; that besides those mentioned above, Germany offered to act a part, and contributed to the domestic control by persuading Chen Kung-po, a Germanophile, into neutralizing the movement

in opposition to Wang's trip to Japan; that though there has been a rumor abroad that Chen broke off his relations with Wang, it was a smoke-screen to disguise the outward appearance; that Wang had a deliberate talk with the leaders of both the Provisional and (T.N. in Peking) Renovation (T.N. in Nanking) Governments, and exchanged their views on a plan for the organization of the central government, but after all both Japan and Wang, that are in a hurry with the establishment of the central government, are going to set up Wu Peifu as President and Wang as Premier, and the government seems to be established about the first of September; and that Japan has a secret design at the back of the organization of the central government that she intends to make Wang conclude a humiliating treaty with Japan by taking advantage of these sorts of peace negotiation organs with Japan, and materialize such an underhand design as to 'conquer enemy with enemy' by making a cat's paw of Wang in order to make China a tributary to Japan by controlling China's sovereignty.

The message has been transferred to Peking, Tientsin, Nanking, Hankow, and Hongkong.

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Ex. No. _____

/Marginal Remarks/ A matter pertaining to Wang.

(Several signatures, illegible)

Top Secret

June 29, 1939

/From/ SUZUKI, Teiichi,

Chief of the Administrative affairs Dep't, KO-A-IN.

Sealed

/To/ Mr. KORIHARA, Masashi,

Chief of the Bureau of East Asiatic Affairs, the
Foreign Ministry.

Re a spot Japanese nominal person responsible for movements.

Regarding the matter mentioned above, I beg to inform you
that I have submitted a notification to the Vice-chief of the Liaison
Office of North and Central CHINA as per the separate sheet.

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(Separate Sheet)

Top Secret.

/From/ The Chief of the Administrative Affairs Department
/To/ The Vice-chief of the Liaison Office of the North and
Central CHINA.

Re a spot Japanese nominal person responsible for movements.

I beg to inform you that with regard to the spot Japanese nominal person responsible for the expenses needed for the National Salvation Anti-Commintern League in accordance with the decision on April 1 at the conference of the KO-A-IN and for the movements of Wu/T.N. Wu Pei-fu/ in accordance with the decision of June 23 at the meeting of the KO-A-IN, the chief of the Military Affairs Bureau of the War Ministry has notified us as per the separate sheet.

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Military Affairs despatch No. 736,

Top Secret

Re a spot Japanese nominal person responsible for the movements.

June 23, 1939.

/From/ MACHIJI, Kazumoto,

Chief of the Military Affairs Bureau, the War Ministry.

/To/ Mr. SUZUKI, Teiichi,

Chief of the Administrative Affairs Department, KO-A-IN.

I beg to inform you that I have notified the Finance Ministry regarding the spot nominal person responsible for the expenses needed for the National Salvation Anti-Commintern League in accordance with the decision made on April 1 at the meeting of the KO-A-IN as follows:-

The Spot Responsible Person for movements;

Artillery Colonel KAGESA, Sadaaki.

However, the name "KAGESA, Sadaaki" should be used in case of receiving money.

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Military Affairs despatch No. 737

Top Secret

Re a spot Japanese Nominal Person Responsible for movements.

June 23, 1939

/From/ MACHIJIRI, Kazumoto

Chief of the Military Affairs Bureau, the War Ministry.

/To/ Mr. SUZUKI, Teiichi

Chief of the Administrative Affairs Department of the KO-A-IN.

I beg to inform you that I have notified the Finance Ministry regarding the spot Japanese nominal person responsible for the expenses needed for the movements of Wu/ T.N. Wu Pei-fu/ in accordance with the decision made at the meeting of the KO-A-IN as follows:-

The spot Japanese Responsible Person:

Rear Admiral ŌSEKO, Michisada

However, the name "ŌSEKO, Michisada" should be used in case of receiving money.

C E R T I F I C A T E

I, URABE Katsura hereby certify that I am officially connected with the Japanese Government in the following capacity: Assistant Chief of the Archives Section, Foreign Office, and that as such official I have custody of the document hereto attached consisting of 4 pages, dated 29 June, 1939 and described as follows: Re a pot Japanese nominal person responsible for movements. I further certify that the attached record and document is an official document of the Japanese Government and that it is part of the official archives and files of the following named ministry or department (specifying also the file number or citation, if any, or any other official designation of the regular location of the document in the archives or files): Foreign Ministry.

Signed at Tokyo on this

30th day of Sept. 1947.

/sgd/ K. Urabe (seal)
Signature of Official

Witness: T. Sato (sgd. & sealed)

Ass't. Chief, Archives Section
Official Capacity

Statement of Official Procurement

I, Johnson F. Munroe, hereby certify that I am associated with the General Headquarters of the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, and that the above certification was obtained by me from the above signed official of the Japanese Government in the conduct of my official business.

Signed at Tokyo on this

30 day of Sept. 1947.

/sgd/ Johnson F. Munroe
NAME

Witness: Henry Shimojima /sgd/

Investigator, IPS
Official Capacity

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/sgd/ Johnson F. Munroe
NAME

Witness: Henry Shimoda /sgd/

Investigator, IPS
Official Capacity

極秘

昭和十四年六月二十九日

興亞院政務部長 鈴木 貞

印

印

外務省東亞局長 栗原 正 殿

工作現地日本側責任者名義人ニ贈スル件

標記ノ件ニ關シ華北及華中連絡部次長宛別紙ノ如ク通
牒セルニ付石連絡ス

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政 務 部 長

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華北及華中連絡部次長 殿

工作現地日本側責任者名義人ニ關スル件

四月一日興亞院會議決定救國反共同協會及六月二十三
日興亞院會議決定吳工作ノ所要經費ニ關スル件ノ現地
日本側責任者名義人ニ關シ陸軍省軍務局長ヨリ別紙ノ
通り通報アリシニ付承知相成度

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軍務發第七三六號

工作現地日本側責任者名義人ノ件

昭和十四年六月二十三日

陸軍省軍務局長 町 尻 景 基

興亞院政務部長 鈴木 貞 一 殿

昭和十四年四月一日興亞院會議決定ニヨル救國反共同
盟會ノ所要經費ニ應スル件ノ現地工作責任者左記ノ通
リ大藏省ニ通牒シアルニ付承知相成度

左 記

現地工作責任者 陸軍砲兵大佐 影佐 禎 昭
但シ借入ノ際ハ「影佐禎昭」ノ名義トス

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寫

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工作現地日本側責任者名義人ノ件

昭和十四年六月二十三日

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陸軍省軍務局長 町 尻 景 恭

興亞院政務部長 鈴木 貞 一 殿

昭和十四年六月二十三日興亞院會議決定ニヨル吳工作
ノ所要經費ニ關スル件ノ現地日本側責任者左記ノ通り
大藏省ニ通牒シアルニ付承知相成度

左 記

現地日本側責任者 陸軍少將 大 迫 通 貞
但シ借入ノ際ハ「大迫通貞」ノ名義トス

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「ワシントン」文書局
陸 軍 省 参 謀 部
知 一 五 一 九 一 D 陸

大 正 二 年 公 正 二 日 ス ル 事

余、海軍省局長ハ余ガ下記ノ旨ニ於テ、即チ外務
省文書館、参謀長代理トシテ、日本政府ト公約關係
ニ在ルモノナルコト、並ニ該旨長トシテ余ガ茲ニ
添附セラレタル、四頁ヨリ成ル、千九百三十九年
ノ昭和十四年ノ六月二十九日附、下記長名、即チ
工作現地日本側責任者名義人ニスル件ノ文書ノ
保管ニ任ジ居ルコトヲ茲ニ記ス
余ハ茲ニ添附ノ記録及ビ文書ガ日本政府ノ公文書
ナルコト、並ニ石ガ下記名義ノ省又ハ部局ノ公式
書及ビ綴ノ一部ナルコトヲ記ス、（差シアラ
バ該書及ハ引用、其ノ他公式書及ハ茲ニ於ケ
ル該文書ノ所載所在ノ公式名義ヲモテ記スベシ）

外務省

千九百四十七年ノ昭和二十二年ノ九月三十日

東京ニ於テ長名

當該官更長名

石ノ者ノ公約長名

人

URABE Katsuna

海軍省局長ノ署名印

文書館、参謀長代理

SATO Takegoro

佐藤武五郎ノ署名印

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公式入手ニ付スル証状

余、ジョンソン・エフ・マシローハ、余が適合し
最高指揮官兼司令部ニ歸属スルモノナルコト、並
ニ上記証状暫入余が公認上、日本政府ノ上記署名
官更ヨリ入手シタルモノナルコトヲ茲ニ証明ス

千九百四十七年/陽曆十二月/九月三十日

東京ニ於テ署名

氏名	JOHNSON F. MUNROE / ジョンスン・フランク・マシロー
石ノ省ノ公館長	上陸軍部書記官
人	HENRY SHIMOTIMA / ヘンリー・シモジマ

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Telegram Copy

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Top Secret

1939/SHOWA 14/19919 (Cipher) Sent from Shanghai: June 29, p.m.

Received by the home office: in the
night of the 29th.

/To/Foreign Minister ARITA.

/From/ Consul-General MIURA.

No. 1799 In the code of the head of the office.

According to a Reuter telegram from Peking, dated 29th, Wang had a talk with Commander-in-Chief SUGIYAMA and Wang Keh-min in Peking, but left for Shanghai without seeing Wu-Pei-fu, for Wu was firmly determined not to take the post unless he be invested with authority to govern whole China including military, diplomatic, and financial affairs, which is beyond Japanese acceptance.

The message has been transferred to Peking, Tientsin, Nanking and Hong-Kong.



昭和 14 一九九一九 (暗)

上海 六月廿九日後發
本省 廿九日夜着

有田外務大臣

三浦總領事

第一七九九號 信長符號扱

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廿九日北京發路透ハ汪ハ北京ニ於テ杉山司令官及王克敏ト會談セルモ吳佩孚ハ軍事、外交、財政ノ全支支配權ヲ賦與セラレサル限り出馬セストノ決意固ク右ハ日本側ノ承認シ得サル所ナルヲ以テ吳トハ會談セス上海ニ赴キタル旨報シ居レリ
北京、天津、南京、香港へ轉電セリ

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/Marginal Remarks:/

(Section 3)

Chief in Charge, TSUCHIDA.

Revised by the head of the Section 1
of the East Asia Bureau

Confidential.

June 29, 1939

Top Secret telegram.

June 28 (Despatched: 16:30 /Signature which is illegible./
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(Received: 18:20

Original Central China Telegram No. 307

To: The Head of the Executive Department.

/From/ DOIHARA Organ.

TAKEUCHI /T.N. Wang/ and his party started from Tientsin in the
morning of June 28th and returned safely to Shanghai at 13:30.

(The end)

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土田課長

東亞局第一課長閣下

親展

昭和十四、六、二九

恒秘電報 六、二八、一六、三〇發
一八、二〇着

原中支電第三〇七號

總務部長宛

土肥原機閣

竹内一行六月二十八日朝天津十三時三十分無事
上海ニ歸港ス

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Minister (Signed)

Chief of the Section (")

Vice-Minister (")

Head of the East Asia Bureau:

(Signed)

Chief of the 1st Section of the Bureau:

Chief of the 2nd Section of the Bureau:

(Signed)

Confidential.

June 1, 1939

Secret telegram.

Despatched: June 30, 2200

Received: July 1, 0810

Original telegram: Central China No. 321.

To: Vice-Chief and Vice-Minister.

/From:/ DOHARA Organ, Shanghai.

I. After he held a Executive Council of his comrades in Shanghai in the beginning of July, Wang Ching-wei issued the CHUKA NIPPON /T.N.

China Daily News/ in Shanghai and published his proclamation.

The points of the proclamation were as follows:

- a) Since the KONCE statement was made the relations between Japan and China have entered a new phase. WANG has often suggested to CHIANG KAI-SHEK a plan to meet the present conditions (?) only to be rejected. Accordingly, there will be nothing for him to do but to meet the situation, breaking off his connection with him.

- b) He will lead the national party, combining various parties together, and endeavour to save the nation through peace.
- c) He praised the existing regimes for their having worked hard to deal with the incident; and he wishes to cooperate with them to meet the situation.
- d) He points out that it was wrong that CHIANG KAI-SHEK insisted on the withdrawal of troops as the first step toward peace.

II. The China Daily News is expected to be published on the 5th of July, but it may be postponed two or three days on account of the delay of CHOU FUC-HAI's return to Shanghai. (END)

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秘 電 報

昭和十四、七、一、

六、三〇、三三〇〇時

七、一、〇八一〇着

原電中文第三二一號

次 長

次 官

宛

上海土肥原機

一、汪精衛ハ七月初旬同志ノ幹事會ヲ上海ニ開催シタル後中華日報ヲ上海ニ發刊シ宣言ヲ發表ス

宣言ノ要旨ハ

(イ) 近衛辭職以降日支關係ハ新段階ニ入レリ汪ハ屢々現況ニ對スル憂慮ヲ蔣介石ニ進言セルモ容ルルトコロトナラス低ツテ之レト絶縁シ時局收拾ヲ企圖スルノ他無キコト

(ロ) 國民黨ヲ卒平各黨各派ト聯合シ和平救國ニ努カスベキコト

(ハ) 既成政體ガ發展途程以來努力セルコトヲ認識シ之ト協力シ時局收拾セシコトヲ希望シアルコト

(ニ) 蔣介石ガ攘兵ヲ和平ノ前途タルコトヲ強調セルコトノ誤ナルヲ指摘スルコト等

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二、中華日報編輯部ノ歸還ト豫定ス
ルモ周・傅・張ノ歸還レタル爲ニ、三
日通レルヤモ知レズ

(終)

和

東亞局長

東亞局第二課長

東亞局第三課長

昭和十四年七月二日與謝片書記官ヨリ接受

王克敏、竹内會談ニ關スル件

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第一次會談

二十四日太田書記官ハ兩宮大佐ト訪談ノ上ニ太田書記官
會ニ於テ、杉佐大佐、一田中佐等ト會見、王克敏、
竹内會談ノ時間、内容等ニ付キ打合ヲ了シタルカ王
克敏ハ右會合ノ通り六月二十五日午前八時七分西行
飛行機發、中國側、王克敏、張處長、加藤總督、一
道森都司、喜多長官、太田書記官、九時伊豆利祖界
ニ於テ外内ト二人限リニ六十時ニ頭會談ヲ續ケタ
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右會談後、王克敏、喜多長官ノ待合セ給タル歸國長
官邸ニ來リ祖界問題ニ關シ歸國長ニ報告ヲ發シタル
後十一時十分歸國長官邸發通市長公側ニ赴キ（柴山
特務機長モ同行）天津祖界問題、天津市政府財政
問題等ニ關シ市長及柴山機長ト意見ヲ交換シタル
後、一時天津飛行場發、二時通臨時政府ニ無事歸還
セリ

歸還後王克敏カ外内トノ會談ノ内容ニ關シ長官ニ語
ル所大要左ノ通り。

- (一) 竹内這トハ從來ヨリ親キ間柄ナルヲ以テ、會談ハ極
メテ氣持良ク進行シタリ、竹内這ハ先ツ久瀧ヲ殺シ

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タル上、東京ニ赴ク前一應御伺ヒスル積リナリシモ
用事ノ為果サズリシハ遺憾ナリト通ヘタルヲ以テ自
分（王）ハ大に（1）今日迄ノ経過、（2）今後ノ計畫、（3）
自分（王）ニ對スル竹内君ノ希望ノ三點ニ當キ達ス
ナキ範圍ヲ御訪ヲ伺ヒ度旨通ヘタリ

（二）右ニ對シ竹内君ハ一言ハ蔣介石ハ孫君ヲ重大ニシ英
ガハ單ニ補助的ニ利用シ居ルニ通キス、右蔣介石ノ
客共黨長ニ對シテハ、自分ハ何同ハナク息苦シナル
モ見込ナカリシヲ以テ是テ重慶見出ラ計畫シ居タル
盧選々黨派遣ノ費金カ重慶ニ來タレルヲ以テ右黨
君ノ落乗徐ラ費受ケ龍雲ノ下ニ脱出セル願ナリト
通ヘ更ニ

（三）「自分（竹内）ハ日支問題ノ解決ニ關シ

（1）有力且獨立自主ノ中央政府ヲ組織スル爲、蔣介石
ヲ相手トシテ時局ヲ收拾スル事

（2）既成政權ヲ中心ニ時局ヲ收拾スル事

（3）國民黨ヲ再組織シ國民黨以外ノ各種ノ黨派モ加ヘ
共同シテ中央政府ノ樹立ヲ相談スル事

ノ三個ノ解決方法ヲ考ヘ（1）ト（2）ノ場合ハ自分ハ野ニ
在リテ援助スヘク（3）ノ場合ハ自ら出馬スルモ可ナリ
トノ趣旨ヲ近衛總理宛手紙ニ認メ二月頃高宗武ニ託
シテ東京ニ送ル積リナリシカ曾仲鳴ノ狙撃事件等ノ

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藝アリテ果サス、此三監ニ歸シテハ後ニ影佐大佐ニ
 話シタル處東京ニテ相談スヘシト言ヘレタリ
 四月初メニ影佐、河内ニ來リ自分ノ身邊危險ナリシ
 ラ以テ先ツ河内ヲ脱出スヘキ事ヲ建議サレタルヲ以
 テ小姓ニテ偽領印度支那ヲ脱出シ、途中船ヲ乗取ル
 テ三月初メ上海ニ到着セリ、上海ニテハ大連少將其
 他ト會見セルカ何レモ余リ要領ノ一キ人ナレハ日
 本側ノ意向ヲ打聽スル爲、東京ニ赴ク事トシ叠々自
 分ノ提議ニテ上京セル次第ナリ、倫樂爲意ニハ遠東
 館ニ託シテ手紙ヲ出シ居ケリ」

(四) 「東京ニテハ五相ノ外、近衛前總理、松岡洋右、其
 他少數ノ人ト會見セリ、最初近衛總理ハ樺山資
 治ニテ自分(竹内)ニ政府ノ人々ニ紹介シ、又平沼
 總理カラハ、「強キ獨立政府ヲ作ル事ハ完成ナルモ將
 今石ハ固ル」ト言ヘレタリ
 昔シキ話ハ板垣退輔ヨリアリタルカ其際首相カラ民
 意意識ノ事ヲ述べタルヲ以テ、自分ハ「最近支
 那ニハ民族意識が勃發シ來レホリ以テ、日本側ハ是
 ラ破壞セントシ居レリ、而ルニ孫君ハ是ヲ利用シ居
 レリ」ト述べ置ケリ。

北京行ノ事ハ直蒙連絡ヨリ語アリタル事ニハ非サル

大臣大臣へ自分（竹内）ニ望シ支部へ日本ノ經濟力ヲ過少ニ減削シ居レリト言ハレタリ」（海軍大臣トノ會見内容ニ付テモ竹内ヨリ語アリタルモ愿ヒ出セズト王ハ囑レリ）

尙竹内君ハ近衛總理ノ語ハ通メテ眞面目ナリト言ハ
レタルモ内容ニ付テハ謔ラス、更東京ノ語ノ結果ハ
大佐前記(3)ノ方法、即チ國民黨ヲ再組織シ、重慶ニ
居ル人々ヲ引張ツテ來テ各方面ノ人々ト中央政府樹
立ノ事ヲ相談スル方法ヲ採用スル事トナレリト竹内
君ハ語レリ

(三) 竹内君ノ語ヲ綜合スルニ

(1) 獨立自由黨ナル中央政府ヲ組織セシムヲ希望スルモ
自分（竹内）ノミノ手デヤル寿ハ無シ

(2) 中國ノ臺ハ皆ト相殺ノ上決定スル

(2) 雇主ノ要人引致キ工作ヲ營テナル

(4) 國民政府ヲ回復シテ大總統ハ赤線ニ御座シ (註)

此點ハ又却側方提出セル「時局要論」ニ關スル具

「の辦法」ト相違ス）國族ハ從前ノ通りトスル事等

ヲ遍へタル後竹内君ハ「東京ニテ意見交換セル端

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 杯杯、
 付下、
 半平、
 二二、
 一七
 △此、
 金更、
 同金、
 一四、
 説明、
 三上

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果ハ我々ノ希望實現カ必シモ不可能ニ非ス」ト言
ハレ天平沼總理ニ對シ「今日、日支カ和平ヲニ々
スルニ當リテハ注意ヲ以テ當ラサルヘカラス、御
客ノ方ハ品物ヲ見セロト主張シ又白人ノ方ハ値段
ヲ減メテカラト言フヤウニテハ和平ハ困難ナリ」
ト語リ置ケリト語レシナリ

尙自分（王克敏）ヨリ「私ニ何カ聽ク事ナキヤ」
ト質問シタルニ答自語ハ吳工作ノ妻ニ付テ聞キタ
シト言ハレタルニ爲キ尙專ニ調語シタルニ竹内達
ハ「長ハ余リ同連ニナラヌ、長ハ大總統ヲ希望ス
ルモ自分ノ爲ハ林森アトス觀望ニナラヌ」ト云ハ
レタ也

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此、主、竹内
カ、影、佐、三、村
し、し、処、上、相、達
ス、満、水、ヨリ
ノ、電、家、(し、ど、)

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(六) 次ニ自分(王克敏)ヨリ意に、殊ニ算段トノ起
 給状況ニ付テ質問シタルニ竹内君ハ「龍溪ノ二
 個師國ハ目下江西ニアルヲ以テ國ルモ龍溪ハ確
 ニ準備中ナリ、重慶ニアル國民黨ノ者トハ從前
 連絡ヲ保持シ居タルモ、現在尙彼等ガ呆シテ如
 何ナル氣持ヲ有スルヤ最近ノ事ハ分ラヌ」ト答
 ヘラレタリ。

竹内君ヨリ應答、維新政府ノ事ニ付テ質問ア
 リタルヲ以テ自分(王克敏)ハ「臨時政府ニ在
 テハ關係ナシ、維新政府ノ事ニ關シテハ三月梁
 鴻志ト會見セルモ最近ハ面會セサルヲ以テ詳細
 ハ知ラサルモ多少困難ニ當スヤト考フル」旨答
 フルト共ニ、「貴下ハ吳ノ事ハ問題ニナラヌト
 言ハルルモ吳ノ問題ヲ無視スルハ不可ナリ、取
 ハ問題ニナルカモ知ラヌ」ト述べ更に「板垣陸
 相ヨリ吳ノ事ニ關シ何カ話アリタルヤ」ト質問
 シタルニ竹内君ハ「何モナシ」ト答ヘラレ最後
 ニ「明二十六日軍司令官ト會見ノ爲北京ニ赴ク
 ヤモ知レス、其際ハ吳佩孚トモ會見スル筈ナリ
 又貴下(王克敏)トニツタリ會談ノ機會アルベ
 シトノコトモ承知シ居ル」旨ヲ述ヘラレタリ。

尚竹内君ハ「日本ハ自分トハ別ニ蔭介石ト交渉

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ヲ初メル様ナ虞ハナキヤト質問セルヲ以テ、
自分（王）ハ「左様ナ事ハナシト答ヘタルニ
竹内君ハ一應諒解セルモノノ如キモ此ノ點多少
心配シ居ラルルカ如ク見受ケラレタルニ就テハ
極秘裡ニ長官ヨリ影佐大佐ニ御傳ヘ置キヲ願ヒ
タシ。次ニ自分（王）ヨリ「梶介石ハ貴下ノ工
作ニ對シ雄カル事ナルヘシト質問セルニ竹内
君ハ「勿論然ラシト答ヘ會仲鳴暗殺當時ノ模
様ヲ詳細ニ語レリ

冒頭（一）ノ（三）即自分（王）ニ對スル竹内君ノ希望
ノ點ニ關シテハ時間ノ關係上遂ニ論議スルニ至
ラス、何レ明日（二十六日）會見ノ際會談スル
積ナリ、尙竹内君ノ言葉ハ何レモ意味慎重ナル
ノミナラス、同君ハ物事ヲ良ク考ヘテカラ話ス
人ニシテ場合ニ依ツテハ半分タケヲ話シ後ハ他
人ニ考ヘサセルト言フ遣方ナルヲ以テ今日自分
（王）ノ報告カ果シテ充分竹内君ノ意向ヲ傳ヘ
居ルヤ否ヤハ自信ナキ次第ナルカ何レニセヨ、
竹内君ハ多少瘖セタルモ非常ニ元氣ニ見受ケラ
レタリ。

ニ 第二次會談

竹内ハ吳佩孚ト會見ノ爲、廿六日朝進徳社ニ來ル

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參加セシムル事トスル意向ナリ
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竹内 良ク承知シ居レリ、尙北支トノ連絡ノ爲ニ高
宗武ヲ派遣致シタシ

王 往來ノ蔭介石側トノ連絡狀況如何

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號ヲ作り意志ノ疏通ヲ計リタシ

王 暗號ノ點ニ付テハ影佐大佐ト良ク相談シテ裁
キタシ

尙結論トシテ王克敏ハ長官ニ對シ竹内君ハ軍
司令官トノ會談ノ結果二十五日會談ノ際ヨリ
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And again he said:

III. "I (TAKEUCHI; T.N. Wang Ching-wei) thought of three measures concerning the solution of the Japanese-Chinese questions:

(i) In order to organize a powerful and independent central government, the situation shall be saved by dealing with Chiang Kai-shek;

(ii) the situation shall be saved with the existing political regimes as its nucleus;

(iii) the National Party shall be reorganized and other various parties other than the National Party shall be joined, and then all of them shall hold a joint consultation to establish a central government. "And it was my intention to write a letter to Prince KONOE, which was to be sent by Kao Tsung-wu about February, to the effect that when (i) or (ii) is adopted I shall support it without taking government office, and that when (iii) is adopted I shall have no objection if I should be asked to come forward. This, however, was not realized on account of Tseng Chung-ming's assassination. As for the three points, I told them to Colonel KAGESA later, and he said that he would talk over them in Tokyo.

"At the beginning of April, KAGESA came to Hanoi and advised me to escape from Hanoi as I was in personal danger.

So I escaped from French Indo-China in a small ship, and, changing my ships on the way, arrived at Shanghai at the beginning of May. In Shanghai, I met Major General ŌSEKO and others, but they were not in connection with the matter. To sound the Japanese side on the subject, I decided to go to Tokyo and went there of my own accord. Besides, I wrote a letter to Liang Hung-chih and sent it by Chao Tsun-yu.

IV. "In Tokyo I met Ex-Prime Minister KONOYE, Yōsuke MATSUOKA, and some other people besides five ministers. Prime Minister KONOYE, acting as go-between, introduced me (TAKEUCHI; T.N. Wang Ching-wei) to the people of the government. Prime Minister HIRANUMA said that he would approve of a plan to form a strong independent government, but it would be awkward to have Chiang Kai-shek make it.

"The details were told by War Minister ITAGAKI and on that occasion he talked about national consciousness. Then I told him that recently national consciousness has been prevailing in China, but Japan was trying to destroy it, while Russia was exploiting it.

"As for my trip to Peking, it was not suggested directly by the War Ministry, but indirectly by the army. As I had some contract with Wu Pei-fu and the joint committee, I came to Tientsin.

"The Finance Minister told me (TAKEUCHI; T.N. Wang Ching-wei) that China had underrated Japanese economical power." (Wang told me that though he had been told about the nature of the interview with the Navy Minister by TAKEUCHI /T.N. Wang Ching-wei), he could not recall it.

Mr. TAKEUCHI (T.N. Wang Ching-wei) told me that Prime Minister KONOYE's talk had been very sincere, but he did not talk about its nature. Mr. TAKEUCHI /T.N. Wang Ching-wei/ said that the talk in Tokyo substantially resulted in the above-mentioned (iii): namely it was to reorganize the National Party and to establish a central government with the help of the people of various fields from Chungking.

V. Summarizing the talk of Mr. TAKEUCHI /T.N. Wang Ching-wei/):

(i) It is my (T.N. Wang Chao-min's) desire to form an independent and free central government, but I (TAKEUCHI /T.N. Wang Ching-wei/) don't mean to do it single-handed.

(ii) All that concerns China I will decide after consultation with others.

(iii) The movement to pick out prominent persons of Chungking shall be done in cooperation with others.

(iv) Restoring the National Government, we shall ask Lin Sen to be President. (Note: This point is contrary to 'a concrete temporary expedient concerning the saving of the situation').

And the old national flag * shall be used as before.

After he related the above and other things, Mr. TAKEUCHI (T.N. Wang Ching-wei) said, "The result of the exchange of views in Tokyo shows that our desires will not be necessarily unrealizable." Further, he said that he had told Prime Minister HIRANUMA, "at present in discussing peace between Japan and China, we have to attend to it in all sincerity: it will be difficult to realize peace if customers insist on seeing goods, and merchants try to decide the price beforehand."

When I (Wang Keh-min) asked Mr. TAKEUCHI /T.N. Wang Ching-wei/ if he had something to ask me, he said that he wanted to hear about the movement toward Wu. So I told him about it briefly. On this, Mr. TAKEUCHI (T.N. Wang Ching-wei) said, "Wu's is not worthy much consideration. Wu wants to be President, but that is out of the question, because I wish Lin Sen to be President."

/Margin Notes:/

(I want to make sure the following:)

How does the Army think of the matter of Lin Sen?

*About this point, the army commander gave a clear explanation at the meeting of the 27th.

VI. Next, I (Wang Keh-min) questioned about the state of affairs concerning the liaison with Chungking, specially with the troops. Mr. TAKEUCHI /T.N. Wang Ching-wei/ answered: "Two divisions under Lung Yun's command being in Kiangsi now, it is inconvenient, but Lung Yun surely is making preparations. In the past I had been in touch with the people of the National Party in Chungking, but I do not know how they feel at present."

As Mr. TAKEUCHI /T.N. Wang Ching-wei/ asked me about the state of both the temporary and restoration governments, I answered, "The question of the Provisional Government is simple: but as to the Renovation Government, though I met Liang Hung-chih in March, I do not see him recently: so I am not familiar with the details. I suppose it may be more or less difficult."* And I added, "You said that Wu's was out of question, but it

should not be neglected. He may come into question."

*/Marginal Note:/ This point is at variance with what TAKEUCHI (T.N. Wang Ching-wei) said to KAGESA. I think there is a telegram from SHIMIZU.)

Then I asked again if he had heard something about Wu from War Minister ITAGAKI, and TAKEUCHI / T.N. Wang Ching-wei/ answered that he hadn't. Finally he said, "I may go to Peking to see the army commander on the 26th, tomorrow. If so, I am to see Wu Pei-fu. I know I shall have a chance to have a long talk with you (Wang Keh-min)."

Moreover, Mr. TAKEUCHI (T.N. Wang Ching-wei) asked me: "Isn't there a fear of beginning a negotiation with Chiang Kai-shek separately?" I (Wang Keh-min) answered, "That will not be." Mr. TAKEUCHI /T.N. Wang Ching-wei/ seemed to understand in outline, but looked more or less anxious about that point. In this connection, I wish the chief will inform Colonel KAGESA of this secretly. Next, I (Wang Keh-min) said: "Chiang Kai-shek will not be pleased with your movements." "Of course he wont," answered Mr. TAKEUCHI / T.N. Wang Ching-wei/. And he told me in details how Tseng Chung-ming had been assassinated.

As for the item (3) in the paragraph (I), namely Mr. TAKEUCHI's (T.N. Wang Ching-wei's) requests to me (Wang Keh-min), we did not have time enough to discuss it. I intend to discuss it when we meet tomorrow (the 26th). Now, I wish to add that what Mr. TAKEUCHI /T.N. Wang Ching-wei/ says must be read between

lines, and, besides, he will often speak after due consideration, so much so that in some occasions he speaks only a half of what he wants to say and let other persons guess the rest. So I am not quite sure if my present report has fully conveyed you Mr. TAKEUCHI's /T.N. Wang Ching-wei's intention. In any case, Mr. TAKEUCHI /T.N. Wang Ching-wei's/ looked very well, though he was a little thin.

2. THE SECOND INTERVIEW

TAKEUCHI (T.N. Wang Ching-wei) was expected to come to the Shintokusha (T.N. Chin-tch-sch) on the 26th to have an interview with Wu Peifu, but could not meet him owing to the circumstances on the part of Wu. So he postponed his program by one day and arrived at Peking on the 27th and had an interview with the Commander-in-Chief at the Shintokusha for about one hour beginning at 9:30 (the details of the interview are omitted). Then after having a talk with Wu Pei-fu from 10:45 to 12:30 there, he took lunch with him and returned to Tientsin by the plane that left the Shintokusha at about 2 p.m.

The outline of Wang Keh-min's report after the interview to Chief KITA as the details of the talk is as follows:

Wang Keh-min: If you take the leadership, how many influential people do you expect to pick up, and from what quarters,

TAKEUCHI (T.N. Wang Ching-wei): When the Kuomintang representatives' convention be held, I am confident that I shall be able to get together about 300 persons. I am sure part of our comrades that belong to the National Party and now in Chungking will attend it. As for military forces, I shall be able to

get two-fifths or three-fifths of the present troops: those forces of Canton, Chang Fa-kuei, and Hsueh Yueh will come. For a step to acquire these comrades, I think it better to make our attitude clear before a central government is established. What is your opinion about it?

Wang Keh-min: To start the activities as you stated, it is necessary to have leaders, so it seems needful to form a central government after making a thorough connection with them beforehand.

TAKEUCHI (T.N. Wang Ching-wei): How do you think of holding a Kuomintang representatives' convention at Peking?

Wang Keh-min: I think Shanghai more suitable, but if it is dangerous, either Peking or Tientsin will do.

TAKEUCHI (T.N. Wang Ching-wei): I want to carry out the movement for establishing a central government by first holding a Kuomintang representatives' convention, then negotiating with Chinese troops, and lastly making arrangements with various parties. I hope you will honor us with your presence at these meetings.

Wang Keh-min: I shall be very glad to be present and give counsel to you. However, I have no intention of becoming a member of the central government; I hope you will understand this point. You have not met Wu Pei-fu yet on account of various circumstances, but I think nothing will be better if you could succeed in reaching an understanding with him. It would be inexpedient to increase your enemies.

TAKEUCHI (T.N. Wang Ching-wei): I intend to make a declaration before holding a Kuomintang representatives' convention, and state before it to the effect, that, the spirit of anti-communism which the existing political regimes have been advocating being nothing different from our idea, we will also act on that line.

is for Mongolian districts, though it is my intention to include their names in the declaration, I think I will allow them join us in the central government after it is established.

Wang Keh-min: You had better not express your opinion too often about the restoration of the national government and the sun-in-the-blue-sky flag for the present, so I think.

TAKEUCHI (T.N. Wang Ching-wei): I know it well, And I want to send Kao Tsing-wu to North China to make connection with the people there.

Wang: How is the state of things concerning the connection with Chiang Kai-shek's side?

TAKEUCHI (T.N. Wang Ching-wei): Some in the financial circles in Shanghai are on my side. For instance, they helped me with my travelling expenses to Tokyo, though it is not a great sum. T. V. Soong is opposed to H. H. Kung and not on good terms with Chiang Kai-shek; and he also declines to collaborate with me. Ho Yin-chin seems to have an intention to collaborate with us on the whole, but it is a question how to escape from Chungking. I have some connection with Chen Li-fu, but he also finds it difficult to escape. Hereafter I want to make ourselves understood through a code.

Wang Keh-min: As for a code, please consult well with Colonel KAGESA.

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土田課長へ小村ヨリ

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/To:/ Foreign Minister ARITA

/From:/ Consul-General OKAZAKI

No. 414

In the code of the office head.

From KOMURA to section chief TSUCHIDA.

On the 10th, I called on the assistant manager of the NAWA branch office (T.N. written in pencil 'Chief of the military staff?') accompanied by TAKAHASHI (T.N. written in pencil 'Lt. Col. KAZUTA'). TAKAHASHI (T.N. written in pencil 'KAZUTA') told him the outline of circumstances concerning TAKEUCHI's inspection (T.N. written in pencil 'WANG's movement') and both TAKEUCHI's (T.N. written in pencil 'WANG') and KAWAMURA's (T.N. written in pencil 'KAGESA') trip to Itozaki (T.N. written in pencil 'Canton'), and asked his co-operation in preparing store-houses (T.N. written in pencil 'dwelling') and others. And then, he readily consented to co-operate with us saying that he had been thinking it most expedient for TAKEUCHI (T.N. written in pencil 'WANG') to start his inspection (T.N. written in pencil 'movement')) by making this city its base. Further he said that the coal inspection, (T.N. written in pencil 'military movement') of NAWA (T.N. written in pencil 'the Army') towards the Shimono family's contract (T.N. written 'China's split') had gradually offered a

promising prospect for its success, though he did not know if it was the same person to whom TAKEUCHI (T.N. written in pencil (WANG') had an eye.

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秘 社

昭和十四年七月十二日

外務大臣 有 田 八 郎

宛先ハ末尾記載ノ通り

封汪精衛工作及支那新中央政府樹
立工作ニ關スル件

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Re movement of Wang Ching-wei and of the establishment of
a new central government in China.

Since the spring of last year, the Army General Staff Office has been secretly attempting disorganization of the Chiang Kai-shek Government through Wang Ching-wei and his party's detachment from the National Government, and soon after Wang Ching-wei succeeded in escaping from Chungking on the 18th of December last year, which might be considered the first phase of the above movement, Prime Minister KONO announced his statement on the 22nd of the same month. In concert with this, Wang's first statement was published on the 30th of the same month.

From that time on, on account of various development of the circumstances this movement has gradually come to take a form of establishing a new central Government in China, our authorities concerned have made the above movement one of the fundamental policies towards China and, under strict concord, have been carrying out various necessary measures.

On the 28th of May this year, Wang showed us unofficially "a concrete temporary expediency for saving the situation" as mentioned in the appendix No. 1, for which we decided "a policy for establishing a new central government" as mentioned in the appendix No. 2 before the five-ministers' conference held on June 6, this year, and then decided our opinions (the combined policy of the two, as you will see in the appendix No. 3) before the five-ministers' conference on a further concrete temporary expedient proposed afterwards by Wang's side in connection with saving the situation, and came to reach to an agreement in general after consulting with Wang Ching-wei, who had been visiting Japan unofficially at that time.

Wang on that occasion exchanged opinions with five Ministers and Premier Prince KONOE, and at the same time having reached certain understanding with the leaders of both the Provisional and Renovation Governments, made his first announcement in Shanghai on July 10 in regard to the saving of the situation.

This movement having something connected with military secrets, the contents should absolutely be kept secret, but in view of the fact that they may in due course appear in the limelight as real facts, I hereby inform you of the details by the separate paper for your information only in dealing with foreign countries.

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